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FOR: ARGININE REPRESSOR DEFICIENT STRAIN OF CORYNEFORM BACTERIUM  
AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING L-ARGININE

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated November 2, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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